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*Description:* ff. i + 253 + i - Eighteenth century. Tan sheepskin spine, blind-tooled, with a later (?) red, gold-tooled label. Brown paper sides spattered black. - Purchased at the sale of Frederick North, 5th Earl of Guilford (1766-1827), by Sir Thomas Phillipps (no. 5114). Bought from Hellmut Schumann in 1969 as the gift of Edwin J. Beinecke. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, MS 420.

*Notes:* -Manuscript on paper of Conclaves of 9 Popes elected between 1513 and 1572. With instructions on how to conduct a conclave. The articles may have originally circulated separately.

*Number of Parts:* 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

*Direct Link:* [http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/BeineckeMS420\\_47](http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/BeineckeMS420_47)

*Language:* Italian; Latin *Country:* Italy *Century:* 16th

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**Part 1:**

*Description:* - paper - 280 x 210 (200 x 115) mm.

*Country:* Italy

*Region:* Italy

*Assigned Date:* [between 1585 and 1600]

*Dated by scribe:* No

*Document:* No

*Cardinal point:*

*City:*

*Searchable Date Range:* 1585 - 1600

*Inscribed Date:*

*Number of Scribes:*

*Script:* Written in italic by various hands, a different one for each article.

*Notes:* Watermarks, not arranged consecutively: similar to Briquet Armoiries 1233 and Briquet Oiseau 12209; unidentified fleur-de-lis, crown, eagle, and coat-of-arms. Ink has bled into paper in most sections, often obscuring but not obliterating text. Binding: Eighteenth century. Tan sheepskin spine, blind-tooled, with a later (?) red, gold-tooled label. Brown paper sides spattered black.

*Number of Texts:* 1

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*Title:* Papal conclaves.

*Subjects:* Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.; Papal documents.; Popes--Election.;

*Language(s):* Italian; Latin

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